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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 – EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1646

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In re application of: COLEMAN et al.

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Endothelial Monocyte Activating

Polypeptide III

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed February 18, 2004, Applicants respectfully request entry and consideration of the following remarks. A Fee Transmittal Sheet is submitted concurrently herewith. Applicants note that the instant response is being timely filed within two months of the mailing date of the final rejection under MPEP § 714.13, as April 18, 2004 was a Sunday. See 35 U.S.C. § 21.

Please amend that application as follows:

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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